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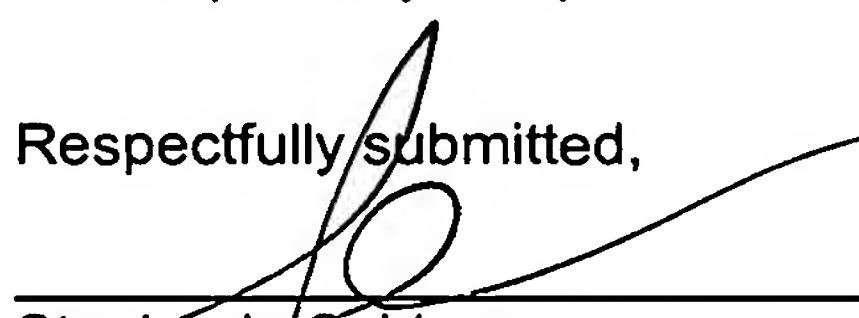
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In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed on April 24, 2007, the following documents listed below are submitted herewith. If a Petition for Extension of Time is needed, this paper is to be considered such Petition.

- ☒ A copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 In the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US);
- ☒ An executed Declaration for Patent Application;
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be due in connection with this paper or with this application during its entire pendency to Deposit Account No. 06-1050. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 08/25/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 08/25/2006
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 08/25/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 08/25/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 08/25/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 08/25/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 08/25/2006

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

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